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1. I WAS VERY DISAPPOINTED IN LEARNING THIS WEEKEND THAT THE FEDERAL COURT OF APPEALS IN CORDOBA HAD CONFIRMED THE 9 YEAR SENTENCE AGAINST LILIANA VOGLER.
 2. FOR YOUR INFORMATION AND THAT OF HER FAMILIES, I AM TRANSMITTING A ROUGH TRANSLATION OF THE NEWS STORY REPORTING THE SENTENCE AS IT APPEARED IN THE JUNE 17 EDITION OF CRONICA:
 3. (BEGIN) TERRORISTS SENTENCED TO PRISON, TEN SENTENCES ARE CONFIRMED IN CORDOBA,
 4. TEN TERRORISTS FROM RIO CUARTO, AND TWO OTHERS FROM CORDOBA HAD THE SENTENCES ALREADY IMPOSED BY THE COURT OF FIRST INSTANCE CONFIRMED BY THE FEDERAL APPEALS COURT IN CORDOBA. THE COURTS DECISION RATIFIED THE SENTENCES IMPOSED ON HUGO GUILLERMO PICCIRILLI, ONE OF THE LEADERS OF AN ERP CELL,
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AND ON GRACIELA CLAUDIA ARENA, ONE OF THOSE INVOLVED IN "EL BUEN PASTR" JAIL BREAK WHO WAS LATER RECAPTURED. ACTING FEDERAL JUDGE, DR. ROBERTO MASUET, SENTENCED HUGO GUILLERMO PICCIRILLI TO TWELVE YEARS IN JAIL FOR ILLEGAL ASSOCIATION, INFRACTION OF NATIONAL SECRUTYIY LAW 10,840 AND ILLEGAL POSSESSIONS OF EXPLOSIVES. FOR SIMILAR REASONS JUAN ALBERTO MUZZOLAN AND LILIANA GRACIELA VOGLER WERE SENTENCED TO NINE YEARS

IN PRISON. IN THIS SAME MATTER WHICH WAS BEGUN IN RIO CUARTO, THE JUDGE ALSO FOUND THE FOLLOWING GUILTY OF THE SAME CRIMES -- DANIEL OSVALDO BERMUDEZ WHO WAS SENTENCED TO 8 YEARS, JUAN ALFREDO MARCHIONI SENTENCED TO 4 YEARS AND JUAN JOSE TROMBOTTI SENTENCED TO 5 YEARS. FOR ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF EXPLOSIVES, JUAN CARLOS GENTILE WAS SENTENCED TO 3 YEARS AND 6 MONTHS; SARA JUANA DAMCHUK, ROSANA MUGETTI AND STELLA MARIA GRAFEVILLE WERE SENTENCED TO 3 YEARS FOR ILLEGAL ASSOCIATION.

5. IN CONFIRMING THE DECISIONS, THE COURT AGREED WITH THE SENTENCE HANDED DOWN BY THE FIRST FEDERAL COURT IN THE CASE OF GRACIELA CLAUDIA ARENA FOR ESCAPING, USING PUBLIC DOCUMENTS TO FALSELY IDENTIFY PERSONS, AND ILLEGAL ASSOCIATION. MISS ARENA ESCAPED FROM THE CORDOBA WOMEN'S PRISON, "BUEN PASTRO" AND LATER WAS RECAPTURED AND WAS SENTENCED TO 5 YEARS AND 6 MONTHS.

6. FOR HIS PART, LUIS ALBERTO PESCE, WAS CHARGED WITH THE CRIME OF POSSESSION OF SUBVERSIVE WRITTEN MATERIAL AND ILLEGAL ASSOCIATION AND RECEIVED A 4 YEAR, 6 MONTHS PRISON TERM.

7. THE COURT AFTER CONSIDERING THE APPEALS STATED THAT THE CRIMES COMMITTED BY THE INDIVIDUALS CHARGED ARE SUFFICIENTLY PROVEN BY THE EVIDENCE TAKEN FROM THEIR HOMES WHERE SUBVERSIVE MATERIAL AND EXPLOVIES WERE FOUND AMONG OTHER ITEMS.
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8. IN ADDITION, THE SOUCRT IN RIO CUARTO WAS INFORMED THAT HUGO GUILLERMO PICCIRILLI WAS THE LEADER RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ERP SUBVERSIVE CELL IN RIO CUARTO. HE "RECRUITED NEW MEMBERS AND ASSIGNED THEM WAR NAMES AND FUNCTIONS." HE WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE INDIVIDUALS INDOCTRINATION AND GAVE EXTREMIST AND SUBVERSIVE LITERATURE TO THE DIFFERENT MEMBERS OF THE CREATED CELLS."

9. THE FEDERAL COURT OF FIRST INSTANCE ALSO STATED THAT JUAN ALBERTO MUZZOLAN WAS FROM DECEMBER 1974 UNTIL HIS CAPTURE A MEMBER OF THE ERP EXTREMIST ORGANIZATION IN RIO CUARTO. HE USED THE NAME OF OMAR ALBINO PUCHETA. HE AND PICCIRILLI WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR ITS LEADERSHIP, LILIANA G. VOGLER ALSO BELONG TO THIS GROUP.
"THIS CELL HAD THE FUNCTION OF DISSEMINATING IDEAS, TRYING TO OBTAIN NEW RECRUITS FOR THE ORGANIZATION, AND UNDERTAKING STUDIES, DOING NAME CHECKS AND RUNNING INDOCTRINATION EFFORST AGAINST MEMBERS OF THE SECURITY FORCES, LOCAL PROFESSIONALS AND BUSINESSMEN. THIS DATA WAS THE SENT TO THE ERP INTELLIGENCE SECTION WHICH MAINTAINED CONTACTS WITH OTHER CELLS OF THE SAME TYPE ACTING IN RIO CUARTO AT THAT

TIME". (END TEXT).

10. THAT IS ALL THE INFORMATION WE HAVE TODATE. I AM AIR
MAILING YOU THE TEXTS OF THE PRESS STORIES. I WILL BE
DISCUSSING THIS CASE WITH MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH
TO SEE WHAT STEPS CAN BE TAKEN ON BEHALF OF MISS VOGLER.

1. SINCERELY YOURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.

12. DEPT PLEASE PASS ABOVE INFO TO VOGLER FAMILY IN
CALIFORNIA.

13. DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT.
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